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## PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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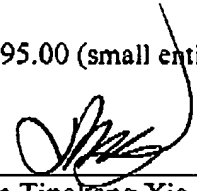
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(b), it is respectfully requested that a four-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to Notice of Missing Requirements mailed October 5, 2005, said period of response being extended from December 5, 2005 to April 5, 2006.

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